



CLINE ACQUIRES 100% OF LODGEPOLE COAL PROPERTY

Vancouver, April 11, 2005. Cline Mining Corporation (CMK-TSXV). Cline Mining Corporation announces that it has now completed the acquisition of a 100% interest in the Lodgepole coal property. Lodgepole is located in the Crows Nest Pass coalfield of southeastern British Columbia in the vicinity of the Coal Mountain coal mine of the Elk Valley Partnership. The acquisition was completed by the exercise of its option to purchase two Coal Licenses. Cline already owns the Coal License applications in the contiguous surrounding area of interest which, together with the newly acquired Licenses completes Cline's ownership of the Lodgepole coal deposits and seams of interest. The acquisition terms include the grant by Cline of a 10% net profits interest in Lodgepole, which interest Cline has the right to purchase for \$4 million.

Lodgepole is an important and valuable British Columbia coal property and contains **82.5** million in-place tonnes of low volatile Pulverized Coal Injection (PCI) coal and Coking Coal. Resources have been calculated and determined in accordance with Canadian National Instrument 43 101 requirements. Both coal qualities are metallurgical grade for sale to international steel mills and use in the steelmaking process. Samples from the adits will be shipped to international steel mills for their assessment and determination of qualities in relation to marketing and pricing the two metallurgical coal products, and for use in a pilot plant, as well as to affirm and assess the coal qualities in the seams to determine the best methods.

Cline Mining Corporation is a mine development company focused on the exploration and development of metallurgical coal in Canada for the international seaborne coal trade market. The Company website is at www.clinemining.com. Shares of the company trade on the TSX-Venture Exchange under the symbol CMK.

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